
COLUMBIA RIVER ACTION NOTICE

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

July 13, 2022

The following actions were taken:

<i>2022 Summer Season Treaty Commercial Gillnet Fishery</i>		
Season	6:00 AM Monday July 18 to 6:00 PM Thursday, July 21 6:00 AM Monday July 25 to 6:00 PM Thursday, July 28	(3.5 days) (3.5 days)
Area	Zone 6	
Sanctuaries:	Standard river mouth and dam closed areas applicable to gillnet gear, except the Spring Creek Hatchery sanctuary is not in effect during the summer management period.	
Gear:	Set and Drift Gill nets with no mesh restriction.	
Allowable Sales:	Salmon (any species), steelhead, shad, yellow perch, bass, walleye, catfish and carp may be sold or retained for subsistence. Sturgeon may not be sold, but sturgeon from 38 to 54 inches fork length in the Bonneville Pool and sturgeon from 43 to 54 inches fork length in The Dalles and John Day Pools and may be kept for subsistence purposes. Fish landed during the open periods are allowed to be sold after the period concludes.	
Additional:	24-hour quick reporting is required for Washington wholesale dealers for all areas as provided in WAC 220-352-315, except that all landings from treaty fisheries described above must be reported within 24-hours of completing the fish ticket.	

<i>2022 Mainstem Columbia River Recreational Salmon Fishery</i>	
Downstream of Bonneville Dam	
Season:	July 14 through July 31
Area:	Astoria-Megler Bridge to Bonneville Dam
Daily Bag Limit:	Two adult salmonids (hatchery Chinook, hatchery steelhead, and sockeye) of which no more than one may be a steelhead. All previously adopted regulations remain in effect.

FUTURE MEETINGS

- A Compact Hearing is scheduled for 10:00 AM, Wednesday July 27 to consider fall season Treaty and non-Treaty commercial fisheries. The Joint Staff will monitor fisheries and recommend additional hearings as needed.